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A SURFACTANT AND METHODS OF MAKING SAME

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Responsive to the Final Office Action, dated September 8, 2003, please amend the application as follows.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.